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November 21, 2003

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th St. S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Re: In the matter of Business Options, Inc., Order to Show Cause, EB-Docket No. 03-85, File No. EB-02-TC-151, NAL/Acct. No. 200332170002, FRN: 0007179054

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are an original and (3) three copies of Business Options, Inc.'s Answers to the Enforcement Bureau's Fourth Set of Interrogatories. Should you have any questions regarding this filing please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

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To: Enforcement Bureau

BUSINESS OPTIONS, INC.'S ANSWERS TO THE ENFORCEMENT BUREAU'S FOURTH SET OF INTERROGATORIES

Business Options, Inc. ("BOI"), by its counsel, and pursuant to Section 1.323(b) of the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission's") rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.323(b), hereby objects to the Enforcement Bureau's Fourth Set Interrogatories as follows:

Interrogatory Number 1:

State when BOI first became a telecommunications carrier that provided interstate telecommunications services.

Response to Interrogatory Number 1:

BOI objects to this interrogatory to the extent that it is vague, ambiguous, argumentative, assumes facts that are in controversy, and purports to call for legal conclusions. BOI further objects on the grounds that this request is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence, is overly broad, unduly burdensome and oppressive.

Interrogatory Number 2:

Describe how BOI first became a telecommunications carrier that provided interstate telecommunications services. Such description must include the manner by which BOI became such a carrier (for example, as a reseller of long distance telephone service provided by another carrier); and the identification of all documents relating to BOI's commencement of service as a telecommunications service provider (for example, any contract BOI had with a telecommunications carrier to resell its service as well as the first tariff BOI filed with any governmental unit and/or any application that BOI may have filed with any governmental unit for the purpose of obtaining the right to provide a telecommunications service).

Response to Interrogatory Number 2:

BOI objects to this interrogatory to the extent that it is vague, ambiguous, argumentative, assumes facts that are in controversy, and purports to call for legal conclusions. BOI further objects on the grounds that this request is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence, is overly broad, unduly burdensome and oppressive.

Interrogatory Number 3:

State when BOI first realized income of any nature whatsoever as a result of its provision of interstate telecommunications services.

Response to Interrogatory Number 3:

BOI objects to this interrogatory to the extent that it is vague, ambiguous, argumentative, assumes facts that are in controversy, and purports to call for legal conclusions. BOI further objects on the grounds that this request is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence, is overly broad, unduly burdensome and oppressive.

Interrogatory Number 4:

The source of the income referenced in response to Interrogatory 3 (for example, residential customers in the State of Illinois).

Response to Interrogatory Number 4:

BOI objects to this interrogatory to the extent that it is vague, ambiguous, argumentative, assumes facts that are in controversy, and purports to call for legal conclusions. BOI further objects on the grounds that this request is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence, is overly broad, unduly burdensome and oppressive.

Interrogatory Number 5:

Describe the process used by BOI to prepare the Telecommunications Reporting

Worksheets and Universal Service Worksheets (collectively, the "Worksheets") submitted to the

National Carrier Exchange Association in September 2003. Such description must include

identification of all BOI employees and consultants who prepared, reviewed and executed the

Worksheets and identification of all documents used to prepare the Worksheets.

Response to Interrogatory Number 5:

BOI objects to this interrogatory to the extent that it is vague, ambiguous, argumentative, assumes facts that are in controversy, and purports to call for legal conclusions. BOI further objects on the grounds that this request is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence, is overly broad, unduly burdensome and oppressive.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, BOI's Worksheets were prepared, reviewed and executed by Brian Bortko and Kurtis Kintzel. The revenue calculations reported for calendar years 2001 and 2002 were based on records maintained by BOI's billing agent, Business Concepts, and were

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accessed through a web-interface. Revenue reported for calendar years 1998, 1999, and 2000 were based on BOI's relevant IRS Form 1120S. For calendar years 2001 and 2002 the international, interstate and intrastate revenues reported were based on information maintained by Billing Concepts. The international, interstate and intrastate revenue calculations reported for 1998, 1999, and 2000 were made from percentage estimates for revenue reported in 2001 and 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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November 21, 2003

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Claudia F. Torres, hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing Business Options, Inc.'s Answers to the Enforcement Bureau's Fourth Set of Interrogatories were sent by hand delivery to the following individuals on this 21st day of November, 2003.

Claudia F. Torres

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ATTACHMENT 4

Universal Service Worksheet FCC Form 457 Approval by OMB 3060-0785 Estimated Avarage Burden Hours Per Response: 5 Hours Please read instructions before completing. Report actual amounts billed to customers and contributors during the filing period without subtracting uncollectibles or international settlement payments. Report revenues in whole dollars. Do not report negative amounts. Figure Business Options, Inc TRS Company Code Legal name of contributor 36-3882046 2 IRS employer Identification number Business Options 3 Name contributor is doing business as 4 Principal communications business (check only one) Shared Tenant Service Provider Payphone Service Provider Private Service Provider Incumbent LEC CAP/CLEC Other Local Local Reseller SMR (dispatch) Cellular/PCS/SMR (wireless telephony) Paging & Messaging Wireless Data Other Mobile Toll Reseller If Other Local, Other Mobile, or Other Toll is chacked, describe contributor type below. Satellite Other Toll Pre-paid Card 5 Holding company Avatar Enterprises Avatas Enterprises 6 Management company (if contributor is managed by another entity) Principal Carrier Identification Code used for interexchange service 1443 E. 84Th PIACE 8 Complete mailing address of contributor's corporate headquarters Merrillville, IN 46410 9 Telephone number for customer inquiries (888) 889 - 2671 Block 2: Confactions in the Confaction of the Confaction o Shannon Dennie 10 Name of contact person (219) 791-9110 11b Fax number 11a Telephone number of contact person sdennie@avatar.bz 12 E-mail of contact person Business Options 13 Complete mailing address of contact: Atta: Regulatory Affairs Officer 8380 Louisiana Street (Filing information and future Universal Service Worksheets will be sent to this address.] Merrillville, IN 46410 Business Options Attn: Regulatory Affairs 8380 Louisiana Street 14 Billing address: (Bills for Universal Service contributions will be sent to this address.] Merrillville, IN 46410 I certify that I am an officer of the above-named contributor, that I have examined this report and to the best of my knowledge. information and belief, all statements of fact contained in this Worksheet are true and that said Worksheet is an accurate statement of the affairs of the above-named contributor. 15 Signature Kurtis Kintze 16 Printed name of officer Chairman 17 Position with contributor 18 Date Filing Period (Check one) Year of data in Block 4 区 Due by September 1 Due by March 31 19 Data for current year, January 1 Data for prior year, January 1 998 through December 31 through June 30 Original filing 20 This filing is: Revised filing

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Administrator, not to the FCC. The Administrator's address and telephone number are available on the FCC's website.

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Block 6: CERTIFICATION to be signed by an officer	the filer
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602 Legal name of reporting entity [from Line 102]	Business Options, Inc
Section IV of the instructions provides information of to be exempt from one or more contribution requires	which types of reporting entities are required to file for which purposes. Any entity claiming into should so certify below and attach an explanation. (The Universal Service Administrator hold based on information provided in Block 4, even if you fail to so certify, below.)
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